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The Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated September 5, 2000.

Applicant submits the following Amendment in the above-identified application.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please see attached Abstract printed on a separate sheet in the above-mentioned application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please make the following correction in the specification:

Page 1, first text to appear on the top of the page, before line 1, insert: "TITLE OF THE INVENTION"

Page 1, between the first and second paragraphs, line 7, insert: "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION"

Page 2, first text to appear on the top of the page, before line 1, insert: "SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION"

Page 6, between the first and second paragraphs, line 3, insert: "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SEVERAL VIEWS OF THE DRAWINGS"

Page 6, between the third and fourth paragraphs, line 19, insert: "DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION"